

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of Curcio et al :
Serial No. 10/657,483 : Art Unit: 1763
Filed: September 8, 2003 : Examiner: A. Olsen
Title: **METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR** : Confirmation No. 7494
PRODUCING Z-AXIS INTERCONNECTION :
ASSEMBLY OF PRINTED WIRING BOARD :
ELEMENTS :

Docket No. END920000122US3 (IEN-10-5530-D2)

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Dear Sir:

Applicants concurrently submit a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and the amendments herein. Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the below amendments and comments.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.